

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the existing text beginning on page 12, line 4 with the following:

FIGS. 7A and **7B** show an entity relationship diagram according to a preferred embodiment of the present invention; and

FIG. 8 depicts data flow in the form of a diagram; and-

FIG. 9 depicts a computer having software running thereon according to a preferred embodiment of a unit level ammunition management information system.

Please replace the existing paragraph beginning on page 12, line 22 with the following:

Referring first to **FIG. 9**, the preferred embodiment comprises computer **10** with software program **15** for a unit level ammunition management information system running on said computer **10**, as described in more detail hereinbelow. The present invention is suitable for managing ammunition accounts, matching requisitions with forecasts, and calculating the logistics paths required for carrying out the supply of ammunition.

Please replace the existing paragraph beginning at page 13, line 4 with the following paragraph:

Referring now to **FIG. 1**, division ammunition office manager **110** and brigade operations officer **120** receive forecast orders from battalions **160** and allocate ammunition resources from ammunition supply point **100** based on priorities for training. Preferably, battalion commander **140** and his executive officer **150** are the system owners. Battalion operations officer **170** and his assistant **180**, the latter of which is responsible for management of ammunition for battalion **160**, are system users who receive requests for ammunition from line companies (customer organizations) and subsequently process the requests into formal forecasts as depicted in **FIG. 2**, wherein **FIG. 2** illustrates the graphical user interface of the ammunition accounts manager program **185**. Battalion operations officer **170** and his assistant **180** preferably forecast and allocate training ammunition and manage allocation accounts for each type of ammunition used by battalion **160**. Logistics officer **190**, and his assistant, support platoon leader **200** preferably manage physical inventory and distribution. Line companies **300** are the actual

customers who conduct unit training, and thus consume the ammunition products.

Please replace the existing paragraph beginning at page 24, line 8 with the following paragraph.

In step **540**, retrieval of ammunition is scheduled with customer organization **300** and a hand receipt showing ammunition delivered is provided to customer organization for training events. In step **542**, ammunition pick-up or drop-off is preferably scheduled between HQ organization and customer organization. Human input is preferably utilized during step **542**. In step **544**, logistics transportation is scheduled, wherein human input is preferably utilized during step **544**. In step **546**, headquarters logistics organization preferably verifies final allocation numbers and signature card holders of customer organization. Human input is preferably utilized during step **546**. In step **548**, hand receipt information is preferably entered for ammunition and packaging material required for turn-in. Human input is preferably utilized during step **548**. In step **550**, customer organization **300** preferably picks up ammunition from the headquarters logistical site, or headquarters logistics personnel and/or equipment deliver the ammunition to customer organization **300**.

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Human input is preferably utilized during step **550**. In step **552**, customer hand receipts are preferably printed.